

THREE DIE AS 1,000 CONVICTS RIOT

Flood South of Vernon Suspends Traffic and Oil Activity

HOME TOWN STUFF

WATER SWEEPS AWAY PART OF NEW LAKE DAM

A citizen of this city who is addicted to the habit of fishing says he will be glad when the highway between Vernon and Seymour is paved by way of Lake Kemp dam. Of course, if nobody used this road, except the fishermen, H. T. would have little interest in it. Fishing is an occupation that requires little encouragement. It is a pastime that holds such a lure for its devotees that nothing can deter them. Fishermen will plow through muddy roads, around precipitous cliffs, brave any hardship, and endure any inconvenience, including an attack from chiggers, in order to get to the fishing pond. Then they will come back home and spend three days telling what a wonderful time they had.

So if the convenience of fishermen was the only service to be gained out of the improvement of the highway between Vernon and Seymour, we could well afford to let it go, because road or no road the fishermen will fish and in all probability they will lose some of the joy of a fishing trip when and if we pave the road to the lake.

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RUSSO-CHINESE OUTLOOK TENSE

U. S. EXPECTED TO FORM ARBITRATION GROUP TO HEAR ISSUES

(By The Associated Press)

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FORMER CHIEF OF MEXICO WELCOMED TO TEXAS

High

Water Washes Out Bridge on Highway 23 and Makes All Roads to Rock Crossing and Grayback Impassable After Dam Breach.

A flood occasioned by the three-inch rain of last Thursday night and aided by the heavy rains Friday night in Foard County and in south-west Wilbarger County filled the new Beaver Creek lake in the Waggoner ranch and swept out about 40 feet of the dam at the main spillway Saturday afternoon, flooding the land adjacent to Beaver Creek for several miles. The dam broke about 2:30 p. m. Saturday.

No estimate of the damage could be given this morning by Waggoner officials here. The high water washed out the bridge across Beaver Creek on Highway 23, on the Seymour to Vernon road and made all roads to the Rock Crossing Grayback oil fields impassable, keeping several hundred oil field workers marooned on their jobs or forcing them to detour south and east to reach Vernon, Electra and Wichita Falls. Relief shifts were unable to reach the oil fields Saturday and Sunday, but the water was reported as subsiding this morning.

The Independent Oil lease in the Rock Crossing area was under water, stopping all drilling and pumping activity. The immediate area near Rock Crossing on Beaver Creek was covered by the high water.

Work on the Beaver Creek lake in the Waggoner ranch was started in April and was scheduled to have been completed this month. The lake covered approximately 1,600 acres, with a capacity exceeding 30,000,000 gallons.

No statement as to whether the dam will be reconstructed was obtainable at the office of R. L. More, Waggoner estate manager, this morning. It was stated that no definite reports of the damage have been received.

The lake site is seventeen miles south of Vernon, one hundred yards west of the Vernon-Seymour highway.

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The privilege of wearing red neckties has heretofore been confined only to a very select circle, but an outsider has taken up the style and something ought to be done about it. Our sedate County Auditor, Judge E. L. McHugh, came out the other day with the flaming red tie one ever could wish to see. Like most beginners, he overdid the thing. He wore a tie that would be a trifle strong for Dr. Howard or Mr. Grover Morris. Of course, it was too wild for a conservative person, like H. T., who really set the style for the proper wearing of red ties. It will be necessary for Judge McHugh to be sold on some things. He ought to begin with only partly red ties and gradually work up to the more noisy kind.

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SHIP TO LAND FLIGHT MADE

SEAPLANE REACHES NEW YORK WITH CARGO OF MAIL

New York, July 22.—(P)—The seaplane New York, carrying a cargo of express mail, landed in the bay at 1:35 p. m., today from the liner Bremen, where it had been catapulted from the deck.

GROOM KILLS BEST MAN WHEN WIFE IS HYPNOTIZED

Mexico City, July 22.—(P)—A few hours after his marriage, David Parra Lopez was charged with having mortally stabbed Jose Ponte Castro, his bride, a hypnotist, tried his hand at curing her, leaving her in a hypnotic state.

During a dinner at Ponte Castro's home in celebration of the wedding, the bride complained of toothache.

Casio was asleep with a machine gun under his pillow when the detectives entered the room. Robertson was armed with a revolver.

MIKE HOGG OF HOUSTON WEDS DALLAS WOMAN

Houston, July 22.—(P)—Announcement of the marriage of Mike Hogg, wealthy Houston Legislator and son of former Governor Jim Hogg, to Mrs. Alice Nicholson Fraser of Dallas, was made today.

The wedding took place Saturday at the home of Maco Stewart at Galveston.

Surviving the child are the mother and father and two sisters.

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Yesterdays



SOCIETY

MISS BULLMAN HOSTESS TO FARGO MUSIC CLUB

The Fargo Music Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Doris Bullman, and Miss Francis Swanson was elected president.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by Miss Doris Bullman and the following program was given: "Biography of Shuman" by Opal Holland; "A Jolly Farmer Returning From Work", by Mrs. Jen. Lovelace; "Lilacine", by Miss Opal Holland; "Biography of Wiedig", by Miss Leda Lovelace; "Courteous Child", by Miss Floy Holland; "A Curious Story", by Miss Myra Wall; "Playmates", by Miss Lela Lovelace; piano solo by Miss Kathleen Dunson.

Refreshments of sandwiches, ice cream and cake were served to Mrs. Mark Dunson, Misses Kathleen and Virginia Dunson, Mrs. Charlie Sharp, Mrs. Clergy Cale, Miss Fren Lovelace, Misses Dorothy and Elizabeth Sears, Miss Francis Swanson, Miss Meada Thomas, Miss Lela Lovelace, Mrs. Jen Lovelace, Misses Mary and Myra Wall, Misses Opal and Floy Holland and the hostess.

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"I don't see how anyone could suffer worse than I have during the past 20 years and live," continued Mr. Dietrich, "and at times my misery was so great that I felt like I would rather not live. I could not eat anything but what would sour and cause such intense pain, especially in my right side, that I felt like I would be compelled to give up. I want to be frank with you. I have spent a great deal of money trying to get relief from my troubles. I had doctors and took medicines until I had about lost faith in everything and had little hope of ever getting better."

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Washington Social Set Popularizes Horse



Riding has become one of the popular diversions in Washington society. The deb's even play polo (above), Mrs. David S. Ingalls (lower right), wife of the new assistant secretary of the navy for aeronautics, is an enthusiastic horsewoman. So is Evelyn Walker (lower left), prominent in the capital's smart circles.

Society is taking to the horse once more—now that automobiles are becoming so common and within reach of almost any pocket book.

Old Dobbins is a luxury. It costs something to keep a horse in the city these days: \$60 a month for board besides the cost of a groom. The horse is distinctive now where once he was passe.

Smart army and society circles are bringing horses back into fashion.

MANY SEEKING APPOINTMENT TO SUPREME COURT

Austin, July 22.—(P)—Few Governors have been called upon to make as many appointments to lucrative and responsible as well as interesting official positions as Governor Moody. He is now confronted with the selection of six associate justices of the Supreme Court of Texas as a result of approval by the voters last Tuesday of a constitutional amendment increasing the membership of the court from three to nine.

It is considered a foregone conclusion that Judges Richard Crighton and C. A. Ledy, members of the commissions of appeals, will be appointed to the Supreme Court. Their respective terms end in June, 1931, and they are appointees of Governor Moody.

MEN OVERCOME OCTOPUS IN THRILLING SEA BATTLE

Los Angeles, July 22.—(P)—The story of a battle between two men and a huge octopus off the coast between Redondo and Point Firmian, near here was told yesterday by Captain Web Monstad, captain of a fishing boat, who fell into the clutches of the devil fish but was saved when Roy Pettibone, another fisherman, came to his rescue.

Captain Monstad fell in a kelp bed while searching for fishing grounds. A tentacle wrapped around his arm, and the water became murky from a fluid released by the octopus.

Terms of members of the Supreme Court are fixed at six years, and they are to be elected by the people. How-

Cuts Alfalfa Third Time.

J. F. Carmichael of Odell has cut his alfalfa the third time this season, making 300 bales on the last cutting. He has 15 acres of alfalfa.

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ONE ENDURANCE EFFORT FAILS

LEAKY OIL LINE FORCES MISSOURI ROBIN TO LAND

St. Louis, July 22.—(P)—The "Missouri Robin," second of two sister endurance planes to go aloft at Lambert-St. Louis field in an attempt to set a new record for sustained flight, landed at 7:51 a. m., today after having been in the air 117 hours 20 minutes. A leaky oil line which they were unable to repair forced the flyers, Joe Hammer and A. W. Gentry Sheldon, to bring the plane to earth.

The "St. Louis Robin," first of the planes to take the air, continued its flight, entering its tenth day at 7:17 a. m., and passing its 218th hour at 9:17 a. m. (central standard time.)

The pilots, Dale "Red" Jackson and Forest O'Brien, reported the motor was still functioning smoothly.

The "St. Louis Robin" was within 29 hours of setting a new world's endurance record.

TWO KILLED IN AIRPLANE CRASH IN MASSACHUSETTS

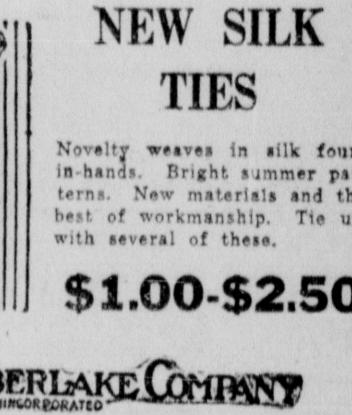
Worcester, Mass., July 22.—(P)—A long loop which caused a piece of wing fabric to tear sent an airplane piloted by George J. Haven, 31, careening to the ground, 2,500 feet below, yesterday and brought death to Haven and his passenger Charles W. Holmes, 44, commercial photographer. The accident occurred at the Worcester airport, North Grafton. Both Haven and Holmes were Worcester men and were married.

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ACTION ON ROADS NEEDED

It would seem from an analysis of the situation that if Wilbarger County is ever to round out its program of highway construction that the immediate future is the proper time to begin. There are a number of factors that argue in support of this view. For one thing, taxable values are higher than ever before in the history of the county. Oil development, of course, is responsible for the bulk of this gain, and the continued extension of oil fields in various sections of the county gives promise that we may be able to get further increases for the next few years. We know also that oil fields have a way of becoming exhausted or nearly so. In the eastern edge of the county is one of the oldest oil fields in this section and it is pretty safe to guess that the average production from these old wells has sunk to almost negligible figures. This means that it would be good business for both the oil industry and the county to make improvements now, while the tax resources are sufficient to make them possible without undue burden on the taxpayers.

To wait a few years means that likely much of our oil wealth has been exhausted and then the bulk of the cost of public improvements will fall on the owners of farms and business property in our towns. This is not saying that we should adopt a policy of extravagance simply because money is to be easily obtained. We should be just as careful with public expenditures as we would expect to be if the county taxable values were only half of their present level.

But Wilbarger County is already committed to the task of building a highway—No. 23—north and south. Some money has already been provided, but it will not be sufficient to pave this road to the county line in each direction. This project has been hanging fire, with little definite accomplishment for almost three years. It is time for some definite steps looking to the completion of this important road. In fact, definite action is long overdue. The country north of Pease River needs a road and a good one, and it is equally imperative that we complete No. 23 to the Baylor County line.

The need is apparent, we have resources and we are committed to the project. Action, immediate and definite, is all that is needed. There are other road needs, of course. A bridge at St. James, which has been promised but seems to be moving at a snail's pace, better roads to Farmers Valley, Doans, Odell and into various parts of the oil fields are all needed. Some aggressive leadership backed by a definite program will be supported. The time is ripe for it, and we can do it now in all probability better than a few years from now.

KEEPING OLD FEUDS ALIVE

It seems that the race for Governor next year is to be the battleground of political feudists. It has been stated on seemingly good authority that both former Senator Mayfield and former Governor Neff will be candidates. The political con-

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ENGLAND BACKS U. S. IN MOVE AGAINST WAR

British Government Announces It Is Happy to Associate Itself with American Nation in Attempting to Prevent Armed Conflict.

Washington, July 22.—(P)—Great Britain now stands formally ranged alongside the United States in the effort to prevent war between China and Russia.

Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador, has placed before Secretary Stimson a note from his government saying it is "happy to associate itself" with the American action calling attention of the Chinese and Russian governments to their obligations under the Kellogg anti-war treaty.

The note is in response to the Secretary's communication on the subject last week with the British, French and Japanese Ambassadors, whose governments are bound under the four-power Pan-Pacific treaty of 1921 to confer when peace is threatened in the East.

While the Kellogg treaty will not become formally operative until the Japanese ratification is deposited here Wednesday, the United States has taken the position that both Russia and China, having adhered to the pact and renounced war as a national policy, are morally obligated to avoid war in the Manchurian controversy.

NANKING GOVERNMENT TO APPEAL TO NATIONS LEAGUE

Shanghai, July 22.—(P)—Japanese press dispatches from Nanking late today said the nationalist government had decided to appeal to the League of Nations for settlement of its controversy with Soviet Russia growing out of its seizure of the Chinese Eastern railway in Manchuria.

The appeal is to be made in the event Russia "takes a positive action in connection with the Chinese Eastern railway," the dispatch said.

It was stated the ministry of foreign affairs had telegraphed Chinese ministers resident in countries signatory to the League of Nations covenant instructing them to inform their governments of "Russia's unlawful attitude."

FOUR-4 CLUB BOYS WILL ATTEND A. & M. SHORT COURSE

Leslie Hamilton and Howard Smith of the Sherwood community of Wilbarger County will attend the Texas A. & M. College short course next week at College Station, R. E. L. Patillo, county agent, said today. Four boys are to make the trip from Wilbarger County with Mr. Patillo. Cleburne Jones and Dale Smith, entered in the terracing contest, will also leave Saturday.

SHORT COURSE ENTRANTS TO WORK OUT WEDNESDAY

Cleburne Jones and Dale Smith, Wilbarger County 4-H club boys who will represent the county clubs at College Station next week in terracing contests, will have a work out here Wednesday, R. E. L. Patillo, county agent, said today. Both young men took high honors in the elimination contest held at Crowell the later part of last week. They will leave for the Texas A. & M. College Short Course Saturday.

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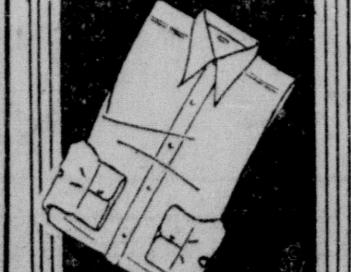
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MIDLAND GUN DUEL UNSOLVED

EXPLANATION RESTS WITH PARTICIPANT WHO MAY DIE

Midland, July 22.—(P)—The explanation of a Main Street gun duel between two veteran peace officers here today rested with one of the participants, believed to have been mortally wounded.

Night Watchman J. C. Holcombe, 58, who shot it out with Chief of Police King Reed before dawn yesterday, fell to the sidewalk dead. Reed was wounded seriously, and although a cab driver was said to have been nearly when the guns suddenly roared, information given out by officers indicated that after talking with him they still had no definite theory to offer.

The original hypothesis was that Reed had issued an order that un-muzzled dogs must be slain, that he had met Holcombe, who was accompanied by a dog on his rounds, that they had quarreled and drawn guns to settle the argument. This belief, however, later was put forward only as a round.

An inquest elicited no information the authorities would divulge.

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HOUSTON FLYERS SOAR ON IN QUEST OF NEW RECORD

Houston, Texas, July 22.—(P)—"Bumpy" air held the endurance monoplane Billion Dollar City relatively close to ground today, but the motor was singing, and the weather was good.

The monotony of refueling was broken for the pilots Glenn L. Loomis and Joe Glass, by a message from the Shreveport flyers, Van Lear and Curry Sanders, whose record hunting plane had been in the air only a few hours longer than the Billion Dollar City, which at 12:49:54

Night and Sanders wishes the Houston men "luck and even breaks."

Has Good Alfalfa Crop.

A. F. Gaston who lives north of Oklaunoma is milking seven cows and is selling between \$12 and \$14 worth of cream each week. He has made an excellent yield on a four-acre alfalfa crop also. R. E. L. Patillo, county agent, said today. He has cut the alfalfa twice making a total of 400 bales.

Colonel Madden, commandant at Plattsburgh barracks, despatched a motor truck loaded with soldiers armed with rifles and bayonets to Dannemora to aid in quelling the riot.

Is Raising Hogs.

W. H. Lyons, living north of Tolbert, is planning on good returns from his hogs this year. R. E. L. Patillo, county agent, said today. He has some nice shots on hand at present. Mr. Lyons sold between \$375 and \$400 worth of hogs last year.

Mrs. Ervin LeBus will be hostess to the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club. Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at her home on Lamar Street.

Convicts Rebel and Rush Walls, But Are Subdued

Plattsburgh, N. Y., July 22.—(P)—

More than 1,500 convicts at Clinton prison, Dannemora, revolted today, injured two guards, burned the carpenter shop and made an unsuccessful attempt to rush the prison walls.

The 124 prison officers manned the walls, armed with rifles and machine guns, and kept the prisoners at bay.

Details of the outbreak were withheld by prison officials but it was learned every available state trooper at the Malone barracks was on the way to Parmenora.

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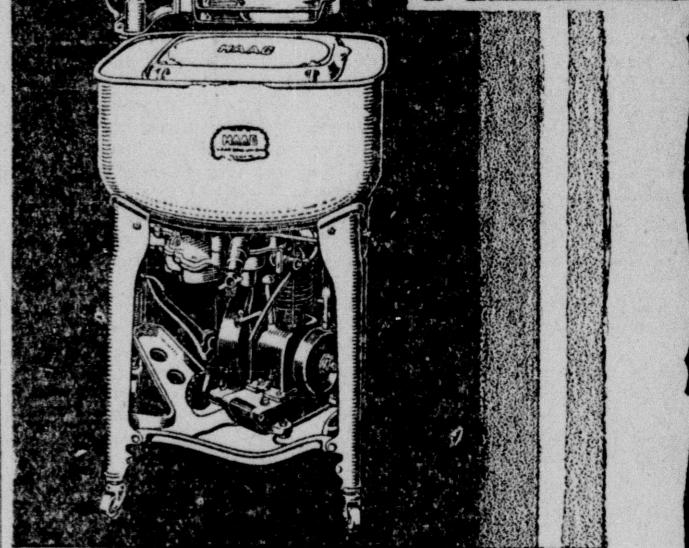
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"Be sure to see it"

The New BUICK

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SATURDAY

July 27

TEXAS BORDER PATROL MAY BE STRENGTHENED

Death of Inspector Killed in Ambush Draws Request for Reinforcements for Officers Working Against Rum Running Gangs in State.

district, said to be the most hazardous in the service. The discovery of a Mexican's body sprawled in the Mexican semi-desert near El Paso Saturday caused officials to believe a gang war between rival liquor hijackers is under way. The slug filled body was flanked with empty liquor cans perforated by bullets.

Scotten never was able to draw his gun in the ambush. A patrol automobile, carrying Scotten and fellow officers, was raked by fire from three sides. The occupants felt certain their attackers were men routed in an engagement a few hours before.

CITY JAIL EQUIPMENT BIDS TO BE CONSIDERED

El Paso, July 22.—(P)—The death of Border Patrol Inspector Ivan E. Scotten, slain from ambush by rum runners, may bring official recommendations that the patrol force be strengthened and that Federal officers be allowed to fire on suspected liquor carriers attempting to cross the Rio Grande into this country at night, it appeared today.

Stirred by the killing of Scotten, 28, a former Texas athlete, who fell Saturday as the 15th border patrolman slain in line of duty, H. O. Horseley, chief of the patrol, indicated his official report of the affair would contain such requests.

Meanwhile, Horseley's men continued to ride the rough mountainous trails hereabouts today, hoping to find the men they believe shot Scotten down from ambush after a previous brush with the rum runners by the same group of officers in which one of the former lost his life.

A third problem further harassed the Government men assigned to this

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All your wishes are promptly carried out here—and your deposits acknowledged immediately.

The Farmers State Bank

VERNON, TEXAS

The Bank of Personal Service

New York-Name Flight Ends in Crash in Alberta

Edmonton, Alberta, July 22.—(P)—Captain Ross G. Hoyt's attempted flight from New York to Nome, Alaska, and return, has ended in a crash near Varmont, B. C. He was on his way here from White Horse, Yukon, on the third leg of his homeward trip yesterday.

The United States army flyer escaped injury, but his Curtis Hawk pursuit plane was wrecked.

Hoyt had been expected to arrive back at Mitchel Field, N. Y., at which time bids for equipping the new city jail will be considered, according to Mayor H. D. Hockersmith. At this time also bids will be received for the city depository, Mr. Hockersmith said.

With the purchase and installation of the jail equipment, the new municipal building will be almost completely furnished, Mr. Hockersmith said. With the exception of one or two pieces of furniture in the office of the city secretary, the office equipment is complete.

City executives moved into the new quarters at the new \$100,000 municipal hall last week.

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FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms, close-in, modern. 1428 Texas. Phone 828. 224-2t6

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FOR RENT—Four-room garage apartment, furnished. 2211 Pease Street. Phone 217. 222-3t6

FOR RENT—To couple, or ladies—furnished bedroom adjoining bath, cool, private entrance, garage, close-in, cheap, block from High School. 2101 London. 222-3t6

FOR RENT—First class, large unfurnished apartment, close-in. 2217 Wiltzburger or call 954-816. 221-6t6

FOR RENT—Modern five-room house, L. F. Blake. Phone 194. 220-8t6

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity in five-room modern home, will take castle or good one ton truck. Phone 1051. 224-3t6

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Le Mur Waving outfit, complete with supplies, bargain. Phone 804W. 223-3t6

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NOTICE.

NOTICE—Marcel 35c. 1825 Bowie Street. 215-9t6

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MRS. BARNETT DIES SUNDAY

FUNERAL SERVICES TO BE HELD AT HOME THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services for Mrs. R. L. Barnett, 54, who died at a local hospital yesterday afternoon, will be held at the home, 2104 Lexington Street, this afternoon at 4:30 according to an announcement from Frost & Dobbs, funeral directors who had charge of the body.

Mrs. Barnett is survived by her mother, husband, and six children, all of whom were here at her death. The survivors are: R. L. Barnett, Vernon; Mrs. Lawrence McCollom, Leonard; W. O. Harville, Vernon; Mrs. Georgia Donaldson, Ravenna; Robert Barnett, Vernon; Grady Lee Barnett, Vernon; and her mother, Mrs. Edna Deaton.

Pall bearers for the funeral this afternoon will be W. F. Scott, D. G. L. E. Syars, E. A. Tidwell, E. Z. Nations, and H. H. Headon.

DEBT RATIFICATION UP TO SENATE IN FRANCE

Paris, July 22.—(AP)—Ratification of the debt accord, particularly that with America, today was in the hands of the French Senate, the Chamber of Deputies early Sunday having given its grudging approval. The vote on that with the United States was 300 to 252.

It was believed today and tomorrow would be sufficient for consideration of the bill and its probably accompanying resolution of reservation in the calmer atmosphere of the upper house and that ratification would follow without further difficulty for the Government of Raymond Poincare.

The reservations resolution will not be transmitted from the chamber to the Senate, but it was regarded as likely the text adopted by the lower house would be taken up by the Senators so that it would express not only the sentiments of the chamber but of parliament as a whole.

NO FUNERAL PLANS MADE FOR GLENNETA MIHAIT

Funeral arrangements for Glenetta Mihait, 9-months-old daughter of Glenn Mihait, of Randlett, Oklahoma, have not been perfected pending the arrival of Mr. Mihait.

The child died Friday afternoon at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. L. Gilbert, of Vernon. Communication with the father had not been effected about noon today, Mr. Mihait's location not being known. Mrs. Mihait and her daughter were visiting the former's mother here, and Mr. Mihait was reported to be in northern Oklahoma.

Record classified ads bring results.

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"You ain't seen
Nothin'-yet!"

"Music has a charm
To soothe the savage breast.
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But gives a man no rest."

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and
GEORGE LEWIS
PARAMOUNT NEWS
FAELES & TOPICS
10c — 25c

Rioters Hold...

(Continued from page one) taken possession of the prison yard, officials of the institution were powerless to halt the progress of the flames. Fire apparatus from Plattsburgh was stationed on a hillock outside the walls near the burning building. The fire engine could not be taken into the yard because it was feared the firemen themselves would be injured and also because the prisoners would have made a rush for the open gate.

The power house, which furnished light to the prison, adjoins the carpenter shop. Destruction of this building would have wrecked the lighting system of the institution. At the outbreak of the disturbance, employees in the power house drew their fire to prevent it from being destroyed.

WAR DEPARTMENT REFUSES REQUEST FOR FEDERAL TROOPS

Washington, July 22.—(AP)—The war department today refused to act on an application by Governor Roosevelt's office in Albany that Federal troops be employed in the prison outbreak at Dannemora.

Motor Causes Alarm.

The Vernon fire department answered a call to the Taylor-McClevey drug store early this morning to discover that the electric motor of a fountain cooling system had become overheated. The damage was estimated at between \$50 and \$75.

When F. M. Taylor opened the store this morning he found it full of smoke, preventing his entrance.

Wacoan Beaten.

Austin, July 22.—(AP)—J. P. Montgomery, 35, of Waco, was found unconscious on the roadside near Pflugerville today. He was taken to a hospital where it was said his condition was serious.

Officers said the man had apparently been beaten and thrown from an automobile.

Auto Registration.

Marvin and Carl Lester, Ford touring.

Clois Greene, Chevrolet coupe.

E. R. Harmon, Wichita Falls, Chrysler coupe.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. K. R. Moore of Vernon is visiting in Bellevue this week.

Miss Alice Simmons of Vernon spent the weekend in Bellevue.

Russell Cates of Altus spent Sunday in Vernon visiting friends.

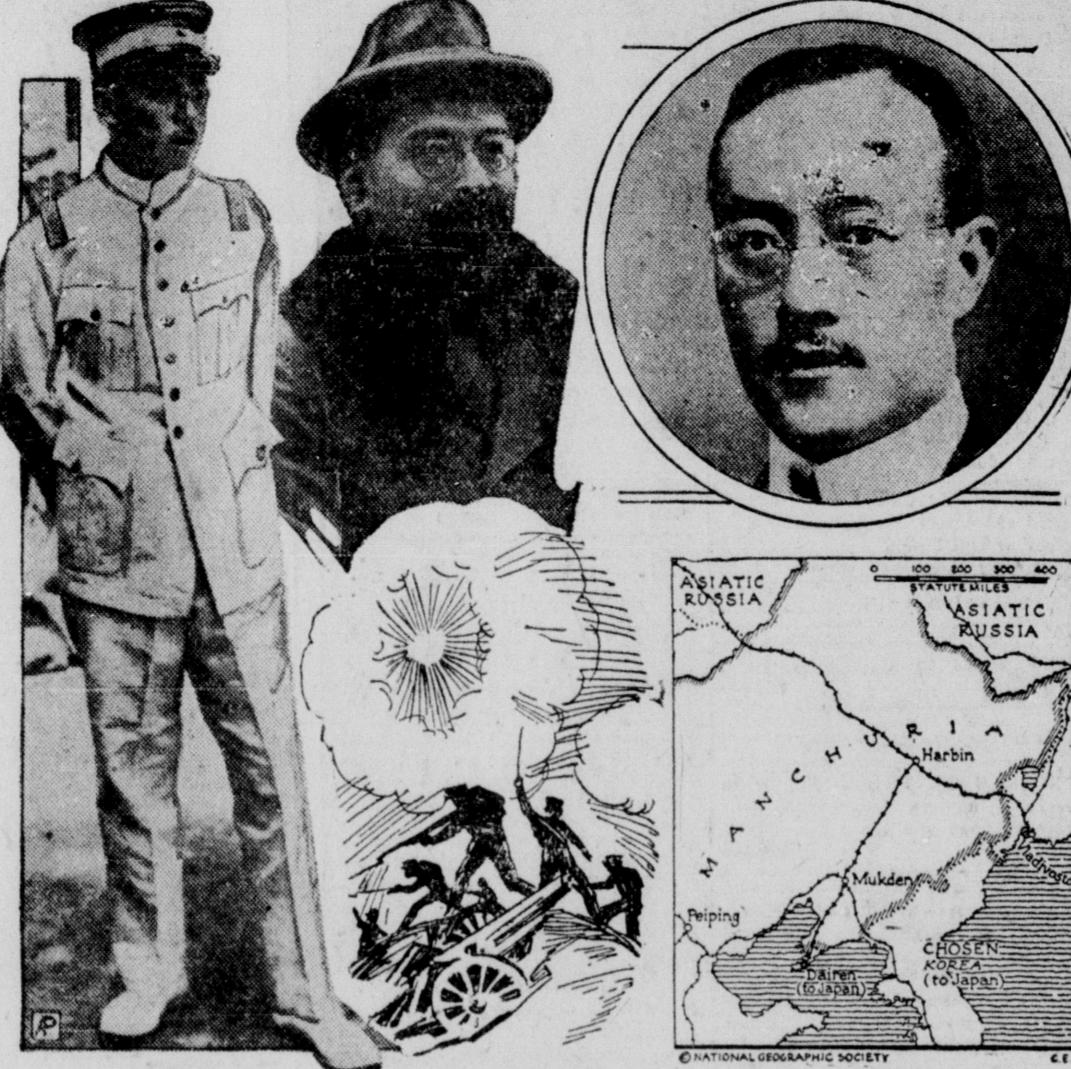
Gus Volos returned Sunday from a vacation trip to Sulphur, Okla.

Lillie Tomp of Vernon underwent a tonsil operation at the office of Dr. W. L. Rhodes Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Cunningham and daughter, Marilyn, of Altus, spent the weekend with Mrs. Howard Richie.

Record classified ads bring results.

AMERICAN INTERESTS WATCH ROW OVER CHINESE RAILWAY SEIZURE



Figuring in the controversy over control of the Chinese Eastern railway are (above, left to right), Chang Hsueh-Liang, war lord of Manchuria; L. M. Karakhan, vice commissar for foreign affairs of Russia, and C. T. Wang, foreign minister of the national government. Map by the National Geographic Society shows railway system.

Outcome of the controversy arising over the control of the Chinese Eastern railway, seized by the Chinese, is of interest to the United States.

The American interest arises through the presence in Harbin, Manchurian city which is the headquarters of the railroad, of 150 citizens of the United States and the increased importance of Manchuria as a market for American made goods.

From a paltry fraction, the American share of the Chinese provinces' large imports has risen to 14 per cent.

Operation of railroads in China is of direct concern not only to that nation but the neighboring countries.

Brooks, and other relatives here.

W. A. Moody returned today from a visit with friends and relatives at Seymour.

Mrs. J. V. Townsend and Mrs. Joe Summer left yesterday for Temple to be with their sister, Mrs. Dan Bond, who underwent an operation at a Temple hospital.

R. S. Wright and Collier Parrish spent the weekend in Fort Worth on business.

C. E. Lane of Matador underwent a nose operation Saturday afternoon at the office of Dr. W. L. Rhodes.

Mrs. Wilson Davey and children of Terrell spent the past week end with Mrs. Earl Owens of Vernon.

E. L. Pendleton and daughter, Frances, of Fort Worth are visiting J. H. Pendleton of Vernon.

James Dodson of Vernon returned home this morning from Pampa, where he has been working.

Miss Thelma Smith, who is teaching in the West Texas State Teachers College, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith.

Mrs. W. P. Holloway and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Crump, of Fort Worth, are visiting their relatives.

Miss Katie Sue Reed has returned from Hillsboro where she has been for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hooker have returned from Commerce where they have been visiting his parents.

Mrs. Virgin Tims and son, Pat, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Castlebury.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson of Fort Worth are visiting relatives here.

Giann Lacy returned Saturday from Wellington where he has been for a week visiting friends.

Mrs. M. A. Dixon returned today from Ringgold, where she has been visiting for a week.

Mrs. John W. Furrh, Jr., of Waskon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. D.

A PRINTED chintz afternoon frock seen recently at Southampton had this interesting pleated ruffle accented by a boutonniere of silk flowers.

MARKETS

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS LEASED WIRE)

COTTON

	New York	High	Low	Close	P.C.
Jan.	19.54	19.29	19.30	19.31	19.45
March	19.72	19.48	19.50	19.58	19.82
May	19.83	19.61	19.61	19.93	19.93
July	19.78	18.62	18.62	19.07	19.45
Oct. (old)	19.40	19.13	19.13	19.45	19.45
Oct. (new)	19.33	19.07	19.09	19.44	19.44
Dec.	19.63	19.35	19.37	19.58	19.60
Opening	Jan. 19.53	19.69	19.69	19.69	19.69
May 19.81	July 18.99	Oct. (old) 19.32	Oct. (new) 19.58	19.58	19.58

New York, July 22.—(AP)—The cotton market opened 11 to 14 points lower under selling influenced by relatively easy cables and private reports of rains in Northwest Texas. There was enough buying to steady the market around the initial price and cause slight rallies. October cash off from 19.36 to 19.18 and January from 19.54 to 19.44 by the end of the first half hour making net declines of about 20 to 26 points.

There was continued realizing or liquidation and some stop orders were uncovered which sent prices off to 13.07 for December and 13.31 for January, or about 33 to 36 points net lower. Offerings then tapered off and the market at midday was comparatively quiet but within 3 or 4 points of the lowest.

New Orleans.

	New Orleans	High	Low	Close	P.C.
Jan.	19.31	19.20	19.20	19.20	19.45
March	19.58	19.34	19.35	19.65	19.65
May	19.50	19.50	19.45	19.73	19.73
July	18.84	18.84	18.98	18.98	18.95
Oct.	19.15	18.94	18.97	19.22	19.22
Dec.	19.35	19.14	19.17	19.42	19.42
Opening	Jan. 19.38-b	19.58	19.58	19.58	19.58
May 19.68-a	July 18.81-b	Oct. 19.32	Dec. 19.32	19.32	19.32

New Orleans, July 22.—(AP)—The cotton market opened easier in sympathy with lower cables. First trades showed losses of nine to thirteen points, and the market eased further on reports of rain in the eastern belt. October traded down to 19.08 and December to 19.27, or 15 to 16 points under Saturday's close. The market recovered slightly, October going up to 19.15 and December to 19.35 but the gain was soon lost on hedge selling and realizing.

The market continued to ease off, induced by the forecast for fair weather and by hedge selling. Before offerings were absorbed October traded down to 18.95 and December to 19.15, or 27 points below Saturday's close for both months. This decline attracted a little trade buying and some covering by shorts, prices rallying 7 to 8 points from the lows by mid-session.

LIVERPOOL

Liverpool, July 22.—(AP)—Cotton: spot—small business done; higher; American strict good middling 11.50; good middling 11.10; strict middling 10.90; middling 10.70; strict low middling 10.40; low middling 10.10; strict good ordinary 9.70; good ordinary 9.30; Sales 3,000 bales, 2,300 American Receipts 4,000, American nil. Futures closed barely steady: July 10.23, Oct. 10.14, Dec. 10.13, Jan. 10.13, March 10.18, April 10.19.

Texas Spot.

Dallas, July 22.—(AP)—Spot cotton 18.60; Houston 19.05; Galveston 19.10.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, July 22.—(AP)—Hogs: 900; steady; 1240 lbs. rail hogs 11.45 to 11.60; better 1280-1300 lbs. truck hogs 10.75 to 11.00; packing sows 9.25 to 10.00. Cattle and calves: 4,600; slaughter steers steady to 25c lower; plain grassers 8.50 to 9.75; feed steers value 14.10 to 14.25; weighty feed steers 12.85 to 13.00; better yearlings 12.50 to 13.00; cows 8.50 anad less; bulls 7.00 to 8.25; heavy calves 11.00 to 11.50; light vealers up to 14.25. Sheep: 2,500; wethers quarter higher; yearlings steady; 2-year-old wethers 7.50 to 9.00; wethers 7.50 to 8.00; yearlings 8.50 to 10.00 to 11.00; feeders 8.50 to 8.75.

Kansas City.

Kansas City, July 22.—(AP)—Hogs: 11,000; 240 lbs. down steady to strong; weightier dull; top \$11.90 on 190 to 230 lbs.; packing sows 9.25 to 10.25.

Cattle: 18,000; calves: 3,000; steady to 25c lower; slaughter steers, good and choice 1300-1500 lbs. 14.00 to 16.25; 1100-1300 lbs. 13.75 to 16.25; 950-1100 lbs. 13.25 to 16.00; feed yearlings good and choice 750-950 lbs. 13.25